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93. (withdrawn) The system of claim 91, wherein the first proxy server is programmed that if said first proxy server fails to authenticate the user, then the first proxy server offers that user an opportunity to log in as an anonymous guest user.

94. (withdrawn) The system of claim 42+, wherein the first proxy server is programmed to check the identity of a user who logs into the first proxy server and who presents a unique authentication credential against a valid user account prior to checking the identity of the requesting client and/or requested URL against the list or lists.

95. (withdrawn) The system of claim 94, wherein the first proxy server is programmed, upon a successful authentication of the user's credential, to use a configuration of the user's account to check the identity of the requesting client and/or requested URL against the list or lists.

96. (withdrawn) The system of claim 94, wherein the first proxy server is programmed that if said first proxy server fails to authenticate the user, then the first proxy server offers that user an opportunity to log in as an anonymous guest user.

97. (withdrawn) The system of claim 41, wherein a third proxy server and/or additional proxy servers forward inbound requests for resources to proxy servers other than the first and second proxy servers.

98. (withdrawn) The system of claim 41, wherein a third proxy server and/or

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additional proxy servers forward the outbound requests for access to web sites to proxy
servers other than the first and second proxy servers.

99. (withdrawn) The system of claim 47, wherein the first proxy server is
programmed to check the identity of a user who logs into the first proxy server and who
presents a unique authentication credential against a valid user account prior to checking
the identity of the requesting client and/or requested URL against the list or lists.

100 (withdrawn) The system of claim 99, wherein the first proxy server is
programmed, upon a successful authentication of the user's credential, to use a
configuration of the user's account to check the identity of the requesting client and/or
requested URL against the list or lists.

101. (withdrawn) The system of claim 99, wherein the first proxy server is
programmed that if said first proxy server fails to authenticate the user, then the first
proxy server offers that user an opportunity to log in as an anonymous guest user.

102. (withdrawn) The system of claim 80, wherein said first proxy server is also
programmed to register the request in a logfile of all web sites requested by a user.

103. (canceled)

104. (canceled)

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105. (canceled)

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112. (canceled)

113. (canceled)

114. (canceled)

115. (previously presented) The system of claim 59, wherein said first proxy

server is also programmed to register the request in a logfile of all web sites requested by

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a user.

116. (previously presented) The system of claim 68, wherein said first proxy server is also programmed to register the request in a logfile of all web sites requested by a user.

117. (previously presented) The system of claim 74, wherein said first proxy server is also programmed to register the request in a logfile of all web sites requested by a user.

118. (previously presented) The system of claim 77, wherein said first proxy server is also programmed to register the request in a logfile of all web sites requested by a user.

119. (withdrawn) The system of claim 81, wherein said first proxy server is also programmed to register the request in a logfile of all web sites requested by a user.

120. (withdrawn) The system of claim 85, wherein said first proxy server is also programmed to register the request in a logfile of all web sites requested by a user.

121. (withdrawn) The system of claim 88, wherein said first proxy server is also programmed to register the request in a logfile of all web sites requested by a user.

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122. (withdrawn) The system of claim 91, wherein said first proxy server is also programmed to register the request in a logfile of all web sites requested by a user.

123. (withdrawn) The system of claim 94, wherein said first proxy server is also programmed to register the request in a logfile of all web sites requested by a user.

124. (withdrawn) The system of claim 99, wherein said first proxy server is also programmed to register the request in a logfile of all web sites requested by a user.

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